



**THE U. S. COAST GUARD CAPTAIN OF THE PORT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
HAS ESTABLISHED**

**A TEMPORARY SECURITY ZONE SURROUNDING NAVAL BASE CORONADO, SAN DIEGO,
CALIFORNIA**

The Coast Guard has established a temporary security zone in the waters surrounding Naval Base Coronado in San Diego Bay, CA. This action is needed to provide for the security of the President of the United States during his visit to Naval Base Coronado. **Entry into this zone is prohibited unless authorized by the Captain of the Port (COTP) San Diego, or his designated representative.** The U.S. Coast Guard, Harbor Police, Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (BICE) and Customs and Border Protection (BCP) will be on scene and will use the force necessary to ensure compliance with this zone. The security zone consists of the navigable waters surrounding Naval Base Coronado. The limits of this security zone are more specifically defined as the area enclosed by the following points: starting on shore at 32°42'52"N, 117°11'39"W, then extending northerly to 32°43'03"N, 117°11'40"W, then extending westerly to 32°43'03"N, 117°12'15"W, then extending southwesterly to 32°42'50"N, 117°13'03"W, then extending southwesterly to 32°42'16"N, 117°13'41"W, then extending southwesterly to 32°41'44"N, 117°13'53"W, then extending southerly to 32°40'00"N, 117°13'36"W, then extending easterly to 32°39'59"N, 117°11'47"W, then northerly to shore at 32°41'13"N, 117°11'49"W.

This security zone is effective from 8:30 a.m. (PDT) until 12:00 noon (PDT) on May 1, 2003 and from 5:30 a.m. (PDT) until 9:00 a.m. (PDT) on May 2, 2003. If the need for the security zone ends before the scheduled termination time, the Captain of the Port will cease enforcement of this security zone and will announce that fact via Broadcast Notice to Mariners.

Additionally, all vessels are reminded that a 500 yard Naval Vessel Protection Zone exists around U.S. Naval vessels, including Military Sealift Command vessels, whether the vessel is underway, anchored, or moored. When within a Naval Vessel Protection Zone, all vessels shall operate at the minimum speed necessary to maintain a safe course, unless required to maintain speed by the navigation rules, and shall proceed as directed by the Coast Guard, the senior naval officer present in command, or the official patrol. When within a Naval Vessel Protection Zone, no vessel or person is allowed within 100 yards of a large U.S. Naval vessel unless authorized by the Coast Guard, the senior naval officer present in command, or official patrol.

**ANY DIRECTIONS GIVEN BY THE CAPTAIN OF THE PORT, LAW ENFORCEMENT, OR
DESIGNATED PATROL CRAFT SHALL BE OBEYED.**

**IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY CONTACT COAST GUARD ACTIVITIES
SAN DIEGO ON VHF-FM CHANNEL 16.**

THE SECURITY ZONE IS ESTABLISHED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF 33 U.S.C. 1231; 50 U.S.C. 191; 33 C.F.R. 1.05-1(g), 6.04-1, 6.04-6 and 160.5; Department of Homeland Security Delegation No. 0170

**FAILURE TO COMPLY COULD RESULT IN
CRIMINAL PENALTIES OF UP TO \$12,500 / 10 YEARS IN PRISON AND FORFEITURE OF VESSEL**

